

**Amendments to the Specification**

**Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 8 as follows:**

In order to attain the above-mentioned object, a parking assisting device in accordance with a first aspect of the present invention comprises: means for setting a reference of a turning position of a vehicle; means for detecting a turning position of a vehicle based on the reference; and means for notifying a driver of parking assisting information concerning a target guiding position based on the detected turning position of a vehicle, wherein the parking assisting information includes two kinds of information with forms different from each other provided in any two states, including a state in which the vehicle is behind the target guiding position, among three states consisting of a state in which the vehicle has reached the target guiding position and states in which the vehicle is in front of and behind the target guiding position, the two kinds of information informing the driver of at least two states among the three states.

**Please delete the paragraphs beginning at page 2, line 20 through the paragraph beginning at page 4, line 18.**

**Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 4, line 22 as follows:**

The parking assisting device in accordance with a second aspect of the present invention comprises: means for setting a reference of a turning position of a vehicle; means for detecting a turning position of a vehicle based on the reference; and means for notifying a driver of parking assisting information concerning a target guiding position based on the detected turning position of a vehicle, wherein the parking assisting information includes a brake operation guiding sound, for guiding the driver at a start of a brake operation, that is provided in a first position before the vehicle reaches the target guiding position.

**Please delete the paragraphs beginning at page 5, line 6 through the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 19.**

**Please delete the paragraphs beginning at page 31, line 8 through the paragraph beginning at page 33, line 18.**